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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Attn: Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division

Re: Windstream Corporation
Notice of Consummation of Transfer of Control of
PAETEC Holding Corporation
WC Docket No. 11-142

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Windstream Corporation, by counsel, hereby notifies the Commission of the consummation of the above-referenced transfer of control on December 1, 2011. The Bureau consented to the transaction on November 22, 2011. *See* Public Notice, DA 11-1934 (WCB rel. Nov. 22, 2011). The instant letter is provided as a courtesy to notify staff of the status of the transaction. Please contact the undersigned if you have questions or need additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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